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For : METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MEASURING AND CONTROLLING THE
CIRCULATION OF FLUIDS IN ENDOSCOPE CHANNELS

ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement mailed June 20, 2008, the time period for response being July 21, 2008 (i.e., July 21, 2008 falling on a Sunday), Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group II, including claims 20-34, with traverse. The above election is made with traverse for the reasons set forth herein.

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If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.